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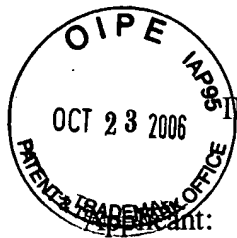
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Official Action of April 13, 2006 and the Notice of Non-Complaint of September 27, 2006, which was non-final and claims 1-20 are pending in this application.

In the Specification

In the specification in the section DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION, please delete the second paragraphs as shown with strike-through and substitute with an amended third paragraph presented below immediately after the strike-through version. Please note that Applicant did not introduce any new paragraph as was indicated by the Examiner in the Notice of Non-Complaint.

~~The invention relates to scientific findings of the surface plasmon resonance (SPR)-enhanced interaction between metal nanoparticles and nearby molecules, which were published in few scientific reports (M. Kerker, "Optics of colloid silver", *J. Colloid Interface Sci.* 105, 298 (1985);~~